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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)	
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van Vossen et al.)	Customer No.: 37003
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Application No: 10/757,217)	Group Art Unit: 3663
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Filed: 14 January 2004)	Examiner: Hughes, Scott A.
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Title: METHOD FOR RETRIEVING LOCAL)	Docket N°: 57.0554 US
NEAR SURFACE MATERIAL)	
INFORMATION)	

EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.136(a), Applicants respectfully request a one (1) month extension of time to April 29, 2006 for filing a response to the Final Examiner's Action mailed 29 December 2005, in connection with this application.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge \$120.00 to Deposit Account N° 19-0615. In the event that this amount is incorrect, the Commissioner is authorized to credit/further charge Deposit Account N° 19-0615. Two copies of this sheet is provided.

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Respectfully submitted,

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